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will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 186 Tremont Street, Boston

Wednesday, January 17, 1968

6:00 P. M. Business Meeting Balloting on Candidates

Entitled: Winfred Lawrence Waite, 12 Lowell Place, Arlington  
Stanley Keith Read, Wilmington

Dinner 6:30 P. M.

Members who return cards \$1.00 All others \$3.00

Work of the Evening

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder Joseph Eagleston, Commander

REHEARSAL: RED CROSS TEAM

Monday, January 15 Dinner 6:00 P. M.

Relative to rehearsals and teams: Part of the proud tradition of Boston Commandery has always been the excellence of our ritual work. Effectively conferring degrees on candidates who knock on our door is one of the most important reasons for existing. To maintain our standard of excellence it is vitally important that we now add several new members to our Red Cross and/or Temple teams. A number of our members have been participating in these activities for years, and the goodfellowship is famous. Also, this year the traditional Guards' party will be revived.

WORDS OF THANKS: A particularly well deserved note of appreciation to Em. Sir James C. Bayley, who has done some eighty hours work in recent months, thoroughly analyzing our financial records and instituting a new accounting system for the Commandery. To the Sir Knights: who contributed with their usual wonderful generosity to our CHRISTMAS CHEER FUND. And to Em. Sir Charles D. Harrington, who, as he has done for the past ten years, spent much of the last two weeks in December seeing that the Cheer was most effectively disbursed.

Our annual Christmas Party was made the merrier by Em. Sir Frankland W. L. Miles, who arranged the entertainment; and by Sir Knight Robert Wilton, who attended to a traditional part of our refreshment.

COMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY: The Order of the Temple, and an illustrated talk by Sir Knight David Greer on his recent trip around the world.

MARCH: On the night of our Stated Conclave, there will be a reception to Em. Sir Howard MacOdrum, at NICK'S.

The Eminent Commander has appointed a committee to arrange a Ladies' Night to be held in the Spring.

SIR KNIGHTS: A sincere and grateful thank you from your Commander to the following additional Sir Knights who generously responded to our Christmas Cheer appeal. Earlier donations were acknowledged in our December notice.

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C. BEDFORD	D. DEMETER	J. LENNERTON	A. SIAS
G. BETTS	C. DREW	C. LAUMAN	H. STEVENS
L. BIANCO	F. DUNCAN	G. LOCUS	H. STEWART
A. BRISCOE			A. SWIDE
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Richard P. Bartholomew  
and such others as may be eligible

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Members who return red card: \$1.00 All others \$3.00  
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After Dinner: Eminent Sir David Greer has complted another trip around the world, and in an illustrated talk will give us the benefit of some of the insights gained by his inquiring camera and probing mind.

REHEARSALS: ORDER OF THE TEMPLE

Officers ONLY: Monday February 12, 1968 at 6:00 p.m. promptly  
Officers & Guards: Monday, February 19, 1968 at 6:00 p.m. promptly

Sir Knights: A particular compliment to the Red Cross team, who did an outstanding and effective job conferring the Order on our 8 candidates last month.

Preparations for our spring dance are proceeding apace, the committee: - Eminent Sirs Borek, Hodgson, Tweedie; Sir Knights, Esancy, and Seeley expect to first publish the date and place in the March notice. Have your lady store her mink a little later this year.

Sir Knight Rowland Crook, who has attended more than forty of them (there hasn't been one every year), is lending his expertise to the organization of the Guard's party.

Now, LET'S TALK ABOUT A TEN-MINUS. -- Boston Commandery, with three, six-man divisions of guards, for many years accepted this highest of inspection marks as a natural and inevitable occurence. Last year, however, we were denied this achievement chiefly because, according to the Inspecting Officer's report, there were slightly too few Sir Knights on the sidelines just before the beginning of the Inspection. Immediately after dinner and upon reassembling in the Asylum, the Inspecting Officer has a count taken of the members present. If the required percentage is not in the hall, a large block of points is deducted, making a ten-minus impossible.

We want to make the above absolutely plain, because, last year, not all of our members who were present for dinner stayed for the count. In this matter a busy Sir Knight who can render his Commandery no other assistance throughout the year, can be very helpful indeed. Come to dinner on April 17... and stay for the count! If you can be of more assistance, -- if you can give us some hours of your time, and incidentally have some fun doing it -- join the Temple Guard.

An appeal was made last month for additional regular members in the Red Cross and/or Temple Guard teams. Four Sir Knights responded and were added to Red Cross Director Bayley's list; a few more are needed, and needed now. You may participate in one or both of the teams. Speak to one of the Council Officers or any member of the Guards.

The dates for our Inspection rehearsals are: March 25  
April 1, 4, 8, 11 and 15

Additional rehearsals will involve the officers only.

Our Guards are one of the finest bodies of men in all Masonry; we are sure you will find pleasure and satisfaction in joining them. A review of some of our more active people and the number of years they have served the Commandery will be a feature in a future notice.

Joseph Eagleston, Commander

The Shrine election of January 26 added still more lustre to the name of our Past Commander when he assumed the leadership of Aleppo Temple. With great pride we extend congratulations to Em. Sir Howard MacOdrum whose geniality, executive ability and willingness to assume heavy responsibility, have made him one of the outstanding Masons in Massachusetts.

and...

At the other end of the line leading to the Potentate's throne, carrying on a great family tradition, is our Junior Warden, Robert Gardiner Wilson III, who has accepted appointment as Aleppo's Second Ceremonial Master.

Our dinner at the Stated Conclave in March will be held at Nick's, 100 Warrentown Street.

Sir Knight Charles Smith, formerly our Standard Bearer, died January 25, after a long illness.

YORK RITE FESTIVAL

HYDE PARK MASONIC TEMPLE: 45 Fairmount Ave., Hyde Park

SATURDAY, MARCH 23'rd SATURDAY, MARCH 30 1 P.M.  
Chapter Degrees start 10 a.m. Lunch 12:30 Dinner 6:30 P.M.  
Council Degrees 3 p.m. - 6 p.m.  
All Chapter and Council degrees on March 23 All 3 Commandery Orders on March 30

Howard MacOdrum Night at Zetland Lodge, Wednesday February 14, 1968  
6 p.m. Open on 3rd Degree Dinner at 6:30 P.M. Tickets \$3.00 each

Reception to Rt. Wor. H. MacOdrum. Entertainment by Brother Ir. Wermount, humorist and Aleppo Chanters.  
For tickets contact Wor. R. S. Andrews. Phone 545-2096 or Em. J. Eagleston (438-4735). Wear your Shrine Fez.

Howard MacOdrum Night: March 20, 1968  
Reception by Boston Commandery to our Past Commander Howard L. MacOdrum, elected January 26, 1968 as Illustrious Potentate of Aleppo Temple. Wear your Shrine Fez.

ANNUAL INSPECTION BOSTON COMMANDERY  
Wednesday, April 17, 1968

IN MEMORIAM

Your Commandery regrets to announce notice received of the loss of the following 22 Sir Knights from our ranks since September 1, 1967.

	BORN	KNIGHTED	DEPARTED
Herbert A. Moses, Milford	3/4/1887	1/19/1949	2/27/1966
George W. Gardner, Boston	4/16/1897	5/21/1930	4/29/1966
Russell T. Hamlet, Arlington	11/2/1902	1/16/1946	5/30/1966
Albert E. Sweetser, Newton	8/15/1881	11/18/1925	1/15/1967
Albert S. Y. Fong, Honolulu	1/15/1921	4/20/1949	1967
William E. Bunton, Arlington	8/6/1881	1/21/1948	3/22/1967
Rev. Richard J. Westaway, Calgary	12/6/1882	1/15/1947	5/30/1967
Melvin H. Dinsmore, Framingham	3/20/1901	5/15/1946	7/13/1967
Henry W. Wright, California	11/14/1881	6/18/1924	7/21/1967
Louis H. Schwamb	2/13/1885	3/21/1923	8/15/1967
Clinton W. Schwamb, Arlington	7/13/1879	3/21/1923	8/1967
Theron L. Beattie, Chestnut Hill	4/16/1904	2/20/1957	8/29/1967
Warren H. McClellan, Belmont	4/29/1900	2/16/1955	9/14/1967
Herbert P.M. Rhodes, Winchester	4/15/1893	2/16/1955	9/18/1967
Roger E. Bates, California	3/12/1879	6/21/1911	10/22/1967
Perley P. Hamilton, Westwood	8/1/1902	6/16/1927	10/25/1967
Frederick T. Scott, W. Harwich	5/12/1878	2/16/1955	11/12/1967
Frederick L. Nobles, Wollaston	5/1/1898	1/19/1949	11/17/1967
James W. Rowe, Florida	9/18/1908	2/18/1953	11/18/1967
Joseph W. Cartier, Dorchester	3/19/1883	1/20/1960	12/1/1967
Wallace M. McNaught, Milton	7/20/1891	6/21/1922	12/22/1967
Charles R. Smith, Boston	12/22	5/18/1960	1/25/1968



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Business Meeting 5:45 p.m.

Balloting on Candidates

NO WORK

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder

Joseph Eagleston, Commander

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REHEARSAL

On Monday, March 18 at 6:00 p.m. we will hold the first rehearsal in preparation for our Annual Inspection. Primarily this means selected parts of the Order of the Temple and the official Inspection and Review.

After wrestling with problems of space availability in the Temple caused by special meetings of other bodies, our remaining rehearsals are definitely as follows: March 25, - April 1, 5, 9. - - Dress rehearsal April 15.

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ANNUAL INSPECTION AND REVIEW OF BOSTON COMMANDERY

Wednesday, April 17, 1968

(Remember: Stay on for a little while after dinner)

The response to our previous requests for additional uniformed Sir Knights to assist as division guards for the coming inspection, for future Orders of the Temple and perhaps, for the Red Cross team, has been very gratifying. One or possibly two more are needed to properly fill our divisions. Come in on the evening of March 18 and be outfitted.

The officers, uniformed guards, and masters of ceremonies will be given a party at the Playboy Club in May.

No degree work is planned for March 20, 1968 in order that we may devote the whole of it to the happy and important purpose of honoring a past commander whose dedication and continuing involvement in the affairs of Boston Commandery has been an inspiration to all of us for many years. He has now achieved one of the greatest and most demanding honors any fraternal order can bestow on one of its members. Em. Sir Howard L. MacOdrum was elected Potentate of Aleppo Temple, January 26, 1968.



Howard L. MacOdrum

Howard L. MacOdrum served as Worshipful Master, Zetland Lodge, Boston, 1955-56; High Priest, St. Andrew's Chapter 1954; Illustrious Master Boston Council 1965; and Em. Commander Boston Commandery No. 2 K.T. 1958

He was Dist. Deputy Grand Master, Boston 2nd Masonic Dist. 1960-61. He is a member of the First Worshipful Masters Association, Boston; member of the Scottish Rite Bodies of Boston; and was President of the Back Bay Square and Compass Club in 1964-65. He was Director Boston Court No. 103 Royal Order of Jesters in 1966.

Noble MacOdrum has received the highest honorary degree in the York Rite in Freemasonry, - - Knight of the York Cross of Honor. This degree is conferred only on those who have held the highest office in the four bodies of the York Rite. Noble MacOdrum joins a group of only 400 from the more than four and one-quarter million Masons in North America to be so honored this year.

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Boston Commandery tribute to Em. Sir MacOdrum will be at Nick's, 100 Warrenton Street, Boston located just off Stuart Street, 3 minutes walk from the Temple.

Dinner: Roast beef at 7:00 p.m.

Music & fun throughout the evening

WEAR YOUR FEZ.

Members \$2.50

Guests \$4.00

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YORK RITE FESTIVAL

Saturday, March 23 at Masonic Temple, 45 Fairmount Avenue, Hyde Park

ALL Chapter Degrees, starting at 10:00 a.m. Baked ham dinner at 12:30 p.m.  
ALL Council Degrees conferred at 3:00 p.m. and all work concluded before 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 30 - Same Location -

ALL Commandery Orders will be conferred, starting at 1:00 p.m. Roast beef dinner at 6:30 p.m. This is an opportunity to sign up those busy Blue Lodge brethren otherwise unable to devote repeated evenings to completion of all the York Rite degrees.

ALEPPO TEMPLE SHRINE CEREMONIAL May 17, 1968

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We congratulate Sir Knight Ralph Blazo, Jr., now Master of Winthrop Lodge

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Sir Kt. Cecil R. Crissey

Testimonial dinner honoring Rt. Wor. Crissey, retiring April 1, 1968 after many years of service, will be held March 28, 1968 at 6:30 p.m. in Banquet Hall 186 Tremont Street. A donation of \$5.00 will cover cost of the dinner and gift. Reservations and check should be forwarded to D.W. Vose, 186 Tremont Street, (Room 905) at once.



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6:30 P.M. Dinner. No charge to members

7:45 P.M. Reception of Inspecting Officer

INSPECTION: By Em. Sir Jack R. Baker, Grand Generalissimo

Assisted by: Em. Sir Robert L. Doney, Deputy Grand Warden

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## SIR KNIGHTS ATTENTION

Your duty to your Commandery requires your personal presence for the OFFICIAL COUNT which occurs directly after dinner for which there is no charge, and immediately following reception of Inspecting Officer at 7:45 P.M.

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Recorder

Joseph Eagleston, Eminent Commander

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REHEARSALS: For Officers and Guards:  
during April

April 1, 5, 9 and 15

YOU ARE EXPECTED TO BE PRESENT

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count on Wednesday, April 17 at 7:45 P.M.,  
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Wednesday, May 15, 1968

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Business Meeting

Ballot on Candidates

Action on Proposed Candidates

Action on proposed amendment to By Laws Article XI, Section 6, by adding the following:

Due bills as of September, 1968 shall read:

Dues (other than Life Members)	\$10
Grand Encampment Assessment (magazine)	1
Grand Commandery of Mass. & R.I.	2
Eye Foundation assessment	1
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	\$14

DINNER AT 6:30 P.M.

Sir Knights who returned card \$1.00

All others \$3.00

Entertainment: Brother Jerry Howard ("Slim Pickins") of Radio & T.V.

WORK

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta.

ENTITLED: Nick Chris Polley, Sam Chris Polley, Donald R. Jacobson, Sidney M. Abbott, Monte G. Basbas, Allan Lawrence Eastman, and others elected.

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Recorder

Joseph Eagleston, Eminent Commander

May 13, 1968: Rehearsal Red Cross & Malta

UNPAID DUES

Are you numbered among the 91 Sir Knights out of 1014 who have not yet paid 1968 dues?

Action on delinquents June 9, 1968

Grand Encampment of K.T. of the U.S. at Triennial Session in Detroit, August, 1967 voted to assess each Knight Templar \$1 per annum.

Grand Commander of Mass. & R.I. in April, 1968 voted to assess each constituent Commandery \$2 per member annually.

Knights Templar Eye Foundation, Inc. current assessment of \$1 remains in effect for such Sir Knights as do not hold Life Membership in said Eye Foundation.

COMING EVENTS

Saturday, May 4:	Knights Templar Night at POPS
Friday, May 17:	Aleppo Temple Shrine Ceremonial
Sunday, May 19:	Annual Protestant Layman's Communion Breakfast. Communion in Copley Square churches in Copley Square at 7 a.m. Parade to War Memorial Auditorium for breakfast and service. Aleppo Temple Shrine band will escort uniformed Knights Templar. Parade starts - 7:45 A.M.
Sunday, May 26:	St. John's Day. Bus leaves Boston, Masonic Temple at 9 A.M. Parade to religious service at Old South Presbyterian Church from Newburyport Masonic Temple at 10 A.M.
Friday, June 28:	Ladies' Night. Monticello Restaurant, Framingham. Reservation by paid ticket only.

ANNUAL INSPECTION

Congratulations and sincere thanks to 219 loyal Sir Knights of Boston Commandery whose presence and cooperation assured Boston Commandery once more a ten minus.

IN MEMORIAM

Your Commandery regrets to announce notice received of the loss of the following 11 Sir Knights from our ranks since our February, 1968 communication:

	BORN	KNIGHTED	DEPARTED
Charles Mueller of Medford	1/8/11	2/18/33	1/23/1967
George A. Crittenden of Brookline	7/18/76	6/19/18	1/13/1968
David N. Brackett of Marlboro	2/8/1903	12/16/64	1/14/1968
Carl I. Parker of Wakefield	1/2/1894	1/17/51	1/20/1968
Andrew Kerr of Barnstable	9/17/78	8/16/04	1/25/1968
Ralph A. Williams of Florida	4/21/97	1/17/51	2/2/1968
Albert E. Page of Florida	1/12/82	6/16/15	2/8/1968
Earl A. Umlah of Brookline	6/30/15	11/18/59	3/5/1968
Morton F. Dixon of Belmont	10/23/06	3/21/45	3/22/1968
Cecil E. Hall of Medford	12/24/08	12/7/55	4/15/1968
James Shiels of Milton	1/7/02	6/20/62	4/15/1968



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Reading of Records  
Report of Nominating Committee

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Election of Officers  
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NO WORK

Roast Beef Dinner at 6:30 P.M.

Sir Knights returning cards \$1.00

All others \$3.00

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1968 DUES

Final action on delinquents Wednesday, June 19, 1968.

If you are one of 65 Sir Knights now in arrears 3 years dues (\$33) our By Laws require action unless by June 19 dues for at least one year (\$11) have been paid. Are YOU one of the 65 Sir Knights still owing 1968 dues?

## SPECIAL CONCLAVE AND CLAMBAKE

Natick Commandery, 24 Main Street, Natick on Saturday, June 22, 1968.

ALL Commandery orders will be conferred on all eligible candidates starting 10 A.M.

Boston Commandery candidates elected for the orders June 19 or earlier are eligible.

YOUR candidate can receive ALL THREE ORDERS on June 22.

## BOSTON COMMANDERY

LADIES' NIGHT  
(semi-formal)

at the

MONTICELLO  
Route 9, Framingham  
opposite the Shoppers' World

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 1968

DANCING from 7:30



ROAST PRIME RIB OF BEEF DINNER, 8:30

AND, at 9:45, a show headlined by the famous

MUSICAL COMEDY TEAM of PHIL FORD and MIMI HINES

then, if you desire, dancing until midnight

Note: Our reserved section is in the center of the raised floor immediately facing the stage!

A SPECIAL BOSTON COMMANDERY PRICE, \$13 PER COUPLE

Sir Knights: It has been a long time since an affair has been provided which enabled our ladies to meet and socialize. In fact, it has been some time since we have had the opportunity to gather as a group for an evening of pure enjoyment -- apart from the familiar confines of the Temple, stuffy uniforms and ritual.

Join us on what I'm sure will be one of our most delightful "meetings" of recent years. Please mail the coupon below, with a check, to me, today.

Fraternally,

Joseph Eagleston, Commander

Dear Joe:

Enclosed please find a check for \_\_\_\_\_ to cover guaranteed reservations for \_\_\_\_\_ couples at thirteen dollars per couple.

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**NOTE CHANGE OF DATE**

Reading of Records

Opening Short Form

Ballot on Candidates

Annual Reports

Recess until 6:15 p.m.

Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr., Recorder

Joseph Eagleston, Commander

PUBLIC INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS 6:15 P.M.

Rt. Em. Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr. Installing Officer

Em. Sir Gordon S. Borek, Deputy Grand Warder

Em. Sir Frankland W. L. Miles, Prelate

Aleppo Temple Shrine Chanters

(Through the courtesy of Aleppo Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. - Howard L. MacOdrum, Illustrious Potentate)

Roast Beef Catered Dinner at 7:15 p.m.

Floor Show

Members of Boston Commandery who return reservation card: No charge,  
Guests, including ladies, and Sir Knights without reservation: \$3.50

Tuesday, September 3, 1968 at 6 p.m. Rehearsal of Officers and Guards

STATED CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 186 Tremont Street, Boston

Wednesday, September 18, 1968 at 5:30 p.m.

Attest:

*Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.*

Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Recorder

NO WORK

*Joseph Eagleston*

Joseph Eagleston, Commander

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept. 16, 17 Annual Conclave Grand Commandery at Colonial Hilton Motel  
Route 128 at Exit 32, Lynnfield, Mass.  
Grand Commander's Banquet Monday, Sept. 16 at 6:45 p.m.  
Contact Sir Kt. Esancy, Commander Elect, for reservations.

Sunday  
Oct. 27 6:45 p.m. Evening Service Tremont Temple Baptist Church  
Dr. Arthur Patterson Lee, Pastor

Saturday  
Nov. 16 ALL CHAPTER DEGREES. Starting at 1 p.m. Masonic Temple, Boston  
SATURDAY  
Nov. 23 ALL TEMPLARY ORDERS. Starting at 1 p.m. Masonic Temple, Boston  
RED CROSS by Boston Commandery  
MALTA by De Molay Commandery  
ORDER OF THE TEMPLE by Boston and De Molay Commanderies.

Friday  
Nov. 29 Aleppo Temple Shrine Ceremonial

**IMPORTANT:** Mail applications AT ONCE to the Recorder to assure ballot on our candidates to be eligible for York Rite Festival on November 16 and November 23.

MESSAGE OF COMMANDER ELECT

Sir Knights:

*I am deeply grateful for the honor of being elected Commander of a Commandery which, after one hundred sixty-six years of achievement, continues to be the largest and best. If we are to remain the largest Commandery, however, we must all dedicate ourselves to the task of filling the holes in our ranks which are caused by the relentless activity of the Grim Reaper. This means that we must bring in a steady flow of new members if we are to continue our leadership among the Commanderies of this jurisdiction, and I earnestly solicit your enthusiasm and support for this noble and glorious work.*

*An invitation courteously extended to a Chapter companion would undoubtedly be graciously received, for it is considered an honor to be invited to join Boston Commandery. Boston Commandery is known and respected wherever Masons meet, and a member of Boston Commandery needs no other introduction. You can be proud to invite a Chapter friend to join a Commandery whose fame is known both far and wide - - Boston Commandery.*

*David L. Esancy*

David L. Esancy, Commander Elect

Sir Knights:

September 4, 1968 starts a new year with a new Eminent Commander and new hopes. This past Templar year, even ranking second among 50 Commanderies, with 26 applications including one re-instatement, our Commandery shows a net membership loss in excess of 40! For the first time in a generation our membership has fallen below 1,000!

This is the year of enrollment for a new *Crusade*, if Boston Commandery is to preserve our proud place in New England Templary. GET THAT APPLICATION. Each one get ONE. Scheduled York Rite Festival in November assures prompt initiation for busy men.

*Robert Gardiner Wilson Jr.*

Robert Gardiner Wilson, Jr., Recorder



# BOSTON COMMANDERY, NO. 2, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

ORGANIZATION 1968-1969

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Tel. Capitol 7-2131

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91 Richmond Road  
Belmont, Mass.

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Wednesday, October 16, 1968 at 5:30 p.m.

Business of the Conclave

Reading of the Records

Ballot on Candidates

Installation

Associate Prelate -- Sentinel -- Organist

Presentation of Thomas Smith Webb 40 - year Veterans Medal

Eminent Sir James S. W. Rogers and Sir Knight Vail K. Haak

Dinner and Entertainment at 6:00 p.m.

Sir Knights returning cards \$1.00

All Others \$3.50

WORK

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta

Attest: Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Recorder

By Order of David L. Esancy, Commander

Monday, October 14, 1968 at 6:00 p.m. Rehearsal of Red Cross Team

Sunday evening, October 27, 1968 at 6:45 p.m. is the day and time that Tremont Temple Baptist Church has invited us to be present at the evening service. It is hoped that as many Sir Knights as possible will be in uniform and in attendance. Ladies - in fact, the family are invited. Won't you help us to have a representative attendance?

DUES

1969 Dues became payable September 1, 1968. Save your Commandery further postage expense by payment now.

FROM THE EAST

Many thanks to the many Sir Knights and their ladies who jammed Ionic Hall for the Installation on September 4. Your support is appreciated by your officers, Guards and Red Cross Team and encourages us to work all the harder for the continued success of Boston Commandery. We were honored by the presence of a distinguished delegation of Grand Commandery Officers led by Sir Knight Gordon C. Player, Right Eminent Grand Commander. All who attended enjoyed the superb work of the Installing Suite and an unusually fine entertainment provided by the Allepo Shrine Chanters, singer-comedian Kirk Stephens, and percussionist Salvy Cavicchio. My special thanks to Sir E. Ellsworth Chase for serving as Installing Organist.

David L. Esancy, Commander

YORK RITE FESTIVAL

A York Rite Festival will be held in Ionic Hall on two successive Saturdays in November. This is an excellent opportunity for your busy Blue Lodge friends to join Boston Commandery. Sign them up now. Boston Commandery will confer the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross in full form in costume and make up. De Molay Commandery will confer the Order of Malta in full form. Boston and De Molay Commanderies will jointly confer the Order of the Temple. Candidates will be knighted by our Commander, Em. Sir David L. Esancy.

All Chapter Degrees Saturday, November 16 at 1 p.m. - Dinner 6:00 p.m.

All Orders of Templary Saturday, November 23 at 1 p.m. - Dinner 6:00 p.m.

Shrine Ceremonial Friday, November 29.

Applications for Chapter, Commandery, and Shrine are available from the Commander or Recorder. Let's go to work! St. Paul's "cut off date" is November 1.

EYE FOUNDATION

Early returns show a good response to our appeal for Life Sponsors of this great charity. A complete list of sponsors will appear in the November notice.

MEMBERSHIP BOSTON COMMANDERY 1948-1968

YEAR	COMMANDER	MEMBERSHIP	KNIGHTED	DEATHS
1948	Blake	860	64	35
1949	Blake	880	98	31
* 1950	McStay	939	80	26
1951	McStay	1014	69	19
** 1952	Heiligmann	1162	107	33
1953	Bayley	1200	74	31
1954	Bayley	1218	46	22
1955	Reid	1228	67	34
1956	Reid	1230	33	18
1957	Harrington	1209	50	35
1958	Harrington	1205	40	31
1959	MacOdrum	1209	55	29
1960	Locus	1209	47	32
1961	Andrews	1167	31	44
1962	Miles	1178	62	39
1963	Hodgson	1133	20	37
1964	Borek	1112	29	32
1965	Brown	1074	16	27
1966	Tweedie	1036	22	40
1967	Arnold	995	9	38
1968	Eagleston	967	17	44

\* Templar year ending October 25, 1950 - Wilson Grand Commander. Total 1040 applications in 51 Com-manderies, with net gain of 424 for the year, - - highest in 44 years 1924-1968, as a result of 25 York Rite Nights.

\*\* Consolidation - Winthrop Commandery 1952.

A very beautiful story is told in the First Chapter of John - - and climaxed in the Fortieth Verse, "One of the two who heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first findeth his own brother, Simon, and saith unto him, 'We have found the Messiah' (which being interpreted means the Christ) and he brought him to Jesus."

You will note, he was not only grateful that he had found the Master but he was bubbling over with enthusiasm and love and had to not only tell his brother, Peter, but "He brought him to Jesus." Thus, the Church grew.

It is the same with the Church or with any worthwhile organization - - if one is in love with the cause and tells it to others with enthusiasm - - and then brings them - - there can be but one answer and that, of course, is a healthy growth. Templary is the New Testament of Masonry and as each of us tell the story, and bring in another - - there, too, can only be one answer, a healthy growth!

Ours is a Commandery of great heritage and we can be very proud to take this mes-sage and to bring in others. As our Commander maps the course for the coming year, let us each do our part.

Courteously,

Frankland W. L. Miles

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Prelate and Chairman - Membership Committee



# Boston Commandery, No. 2, Knights Templar

## The Illustrious Order of The Red Cross

under direction of

Em. Sir James C. Bayley

and

Em. Sir Robert S. Andrews

### CAST OF CHARACTERS

#### PART ONE

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#### PART TWO

Zerrubbabel's Journey to the Persian Dominions.

Aholiab, Jewish Guard . . . . . Sir James Laird, Jr.  
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#### PART THREE

Entrance of Persian Court - - Second Year of the Reign of Darius, King of Persia

Zerrubbabel Before Darius As Captive and Slave.

Immemorial Discussion.

Founding of New Order.

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Darius, King of Persia . . . . . Em. Sir James S. W. Rogers

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*Rt. E. Sir John Hews	1833-35
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*E. Sir Joseph Totten Paul	1914-16
*E. Sir George Urban Bauer	1916-18
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*E. Sir Walter Bradley Tripp	1920-21
*E. Sir Wm. J. Kavanaugh	1921-22
*Rt. E. Sir Frederick H. Briggs	1921-23
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E. Sir John R. Vaughan	1929-30
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*E. Sir Clarence N. Marsden	1931-32
*E. Sir Robert Gardiner Wilson	1931-33
*E. Sir Frederick T. Thomson	1932-33
*E. Sir Hans C. Kleemann	1932-33
*E. Sir S. Franklin Bell	1933-34
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*E. Sir Elmer Granville Page	1933-35
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F. Sir Joseph Eagleston	1967-68

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# Boston Commandery



## Knights Templar

ORGANIZED 1802

CHARTERED 1806

REGULAR CONCLAVE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH



# Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery, Knights Templar

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 186 Tremont Street, Boston

Wednesday, November 20, 1968 at 5:15 p.m.

## BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

Reading of Records

Ballot on Candidates

and such other business as may regularly come before the conclave

### WORK

ORDER OF THE TEMPLE

dinner at 6:30 p.m.

S P E A K E R

Sir Knight and Wor. Monte G. Basbas  
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Sir Knights returning cards \$1.00

All Others \$3.50

## SPECIAL CONCLAVE OF BOSTON COMMANDERY, KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 186 Tremont Street, Boston

Saturday, November 23, 1968 at 12:30 p.m.

## BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE

Ballot on Candidates

### YORK RITE FESTIVAL

1:00 p.m.

ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF THE RED CROSS

BOSTON COMMANDERY

ORDER OF MALTA IN FULL FORM

DE MOLAY COMMANDERY

ORDER OF THE TEMPLE

BOSTON AND DE MOLAY COMMANDERIES

Dinner at 6:00 p.m. - - \$3.00

Attest:

*Robert G. Wilson, Jr.*

Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Recorder

By Order of

*David L. Esancy*  
David L. Esancy, Commander

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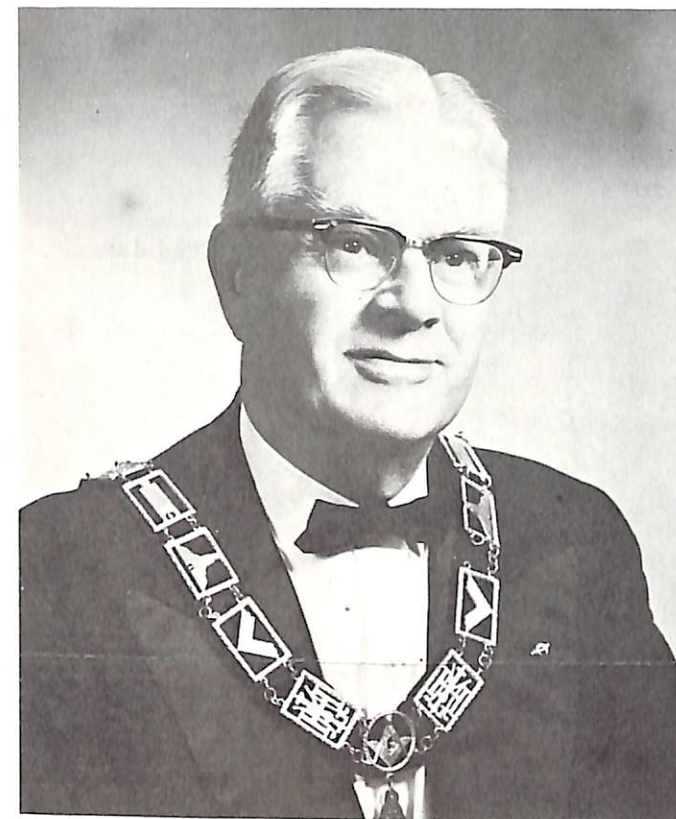
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Ill. James S. W. Rogers, 33°

## SCOTTISH RITE HONORS ROGERS

On September 25, 1968, in Atlantic City, the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite, Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, conferred the honorary degree of Sovereign Grand Inspector General, 33°, on James S. W. Rogers. Ill. Rogers is Past Master of Mount Hermon Lodge, A.F.&A.M. (1963); Past High Priest (1937) and Secretary (1953-present) of Mystic Royal Arch Chapter; Recorder (1953-present) of Medford Council, Royal and Select Masters; Past Commander of Boston Commandery, Knights Templar (1942-1944); and presiding Thrice Potent Master of Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection, A.A.O.N.M.S. A holder of the Thomas Smith Webb 40-year veteran's medal, Rogers is presently active in Boston Commandery as Sentinel, Associate Prelate, member of the Red Cross Team, and Trustee of the Permanent Fund. He serves Grand Commandery as Prelate of the Exemplification Team, and is an active member of Aleppo Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S.

## Annual Christmas Offering and Good Cheer

Templary is the New Testament of Masonry. As Christian Knights we have a duty to help the less fortunate. During the joyous Christmas season it has become the established custom in this, the greatest of all Christian Orders, for each Sir Knight to make a Holiday contribution to assure some measure of good cheer and good will for the lonely Knight, the destitute widow, the helpless orphan. Each Sir Knight financially able and willing to contribute \$1, \$5, or more, will surely experience that special Christmas joy that comes with the knowledge that he has helped provide some measure of Yuletide spirit and good cheer and has helped to spread the joy of Christmas outside his own home. This fund is annually expended, under the direction of the Eminent Commander, for the purpose of bringing some measure of happiness into the hearts and homes of the sick, the distressed, the needy and the deserving.

Please return your offering PROMPTLY in the enclosed envelope to David L. Esancy, Commander, 186 Tremont Street, Boston, for direct distribution under the direction of the Commander. If you know of some worthy case please contact the Commander promptly.

## Blue Lodge Notices

Blue Lodge notices are extremely important to our Membership Committee as they notify us of prospective candidates for Boston Commandery. Please help by sending your notices to:

FRANKLAND W. L. MILES

27 State Street  
Boston, Mass.

## Rehearsals

Monday, November 18 at 6:00 p.m. - - Officers and Guards  
Saturday, November 23 at 10:30 a.m. - - Red Cross Team



## FROM THE EAST

Your Commander and Officers extend to all Sir Knights and their families best wishes for a most Holy and Happy Christmas.

### Annual Christmas Offering

The following is a list of those Sir Knights who generously contributed to bring cheer to the lonely Knight, the destitute widow, and the helpless orphan. Additional contributors will be listed in the January notice.

Albo, J. H.	Court, B.	Haughland, J. R. W.	McCormick, R. W.	Seeley, E. R. Jr.
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Boudrot, A. G.	Downey, A. M.	Jacobs, L. H.	Neilson, A. D.	Stewart, W. H.
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Bowering, S.	Duby, J. R.	Kemurian, H.	Nochella, B. R.	Strout, C. D.
Bowers, R. S.	Durbeck, E. F. III	Johnson, R. H.	Nourse, W.	Sweedy, H. J.
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Campbell, C. S.	Fischer, M. H.	Larkin, W. L.	Reser, O. D.	Tweddie, K. A.
Campbell, W. L.	Foster, R. D.	Lauman, C. P.	Ritchie, J. S.	Tyler, R. A.
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Chase, P. D.	Georgian, P. J.	Littlefield, V. W.	Ross, W.	Wallace, C.
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Corey, H. F.	Hahn, M. J.	MacKenney, C. R.	Saul, A. D.	Anonymous (3)
Corliss, H. O.	Hallberg, R. L.	Manley, W. O.	Saville, L. B.	
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### THIRD DEGREE TEAM FORMED

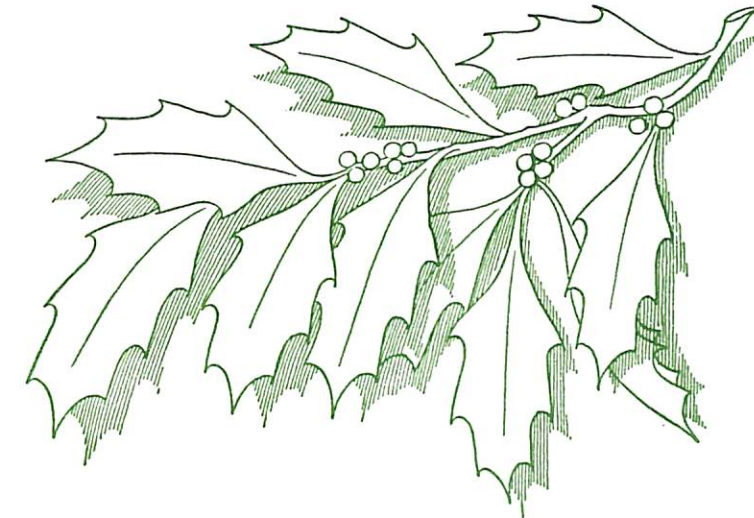
Your Commander is pleased to announce the formation of a Boston Commandery team to work the Master Mason degree in local Blue Lodges. This new service of your Commandery will be under the direction of Sir Knight E. Rea Seeley, our Generalissimo and a Past Master of Revere Lodge.

If your Lodge is raising a candidate of your sponsoring - a son, brother, or friend - the Presiding Master might well appreciate the prestige and entertainment value of having the candidate raised by a uniformed team from Boston Commandery. To make arrangements call or write Rea Seeley at 1-263-5138, P.O. Box 1521, Boston, Mass. 02104.

Sir Knight Seeley would also like to hear from those who would like to be future members or alternates on the team. Ritualistic excellence a must.

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# Boston Commandery



Extends  
Knightly

# Christmas Greetings

REGULAR CONCLAVE THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH



# Stated Conclave of Boston Commandery, Knights Templar

will be held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, 186 Tremont Street, Boston

Wednesday, December 18, 1968 at 6:00 p.m.

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and such other business as may regularly come before the conclave

**NO WORK**

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

at 6:30 p.m.

CATERED DINNER FEATURING SEILER'S FAMOUS CLAM CHOWDER

Sir Knights returning cards \$1.00

All Others \$3.00

### Christmas Message

REV. SIR EVERETT L. WATERS

### Concert

SALVATION ARMY BRASS ENSEMBLE  
under the direction of James Hepburn

Please bring a gift of  
approximately \$1.00 value.

Attest:

*Robert G. Wilson, Jr.*  
Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Recorder

By Order of

*David L. Esancy*  
David L. Esancy, Commander

## LOOKING AHEAD TO INSPECTION

Now is the time to set aside APRIL 16 and plan to be present at the ANNUAL INSPECTION. This year Boston Commandery must have 240 Sir Knights in attendance if we are to retain our mark of 10|minus, the highest mark possible. Your officers and guards work hard each year rehearsing and preparing for annual inspection. Last year we achieved a 10 minus -- this year our work is second to none in the jurisdiction. Yet unless YOU are present for the count, we cannot achieve the coveted goal. Your obligation demands that you be present. Your pride in belonging to the greatest of all Commanderies and your desire to keep it the best should prompt you to make an extra effort to be present APRIL 16. Remember, other Commanderies look to Boston for leadership and example. Let's not fail them.

## Calendar of Events

Wednesday, January 15

Red Cross and Malta

Friday, February 14

Grand Commander's Ball, King Philip Restaurant,  
Lake Pearl, Wrentham - - contact Commander for  
tickets - - \$5.00 (\$15.00 with dinner for two).

Wednesday, February 19

Generalissimo's Night - - Order of the Temple



At dedication of Shrine Burns Institute, Boston Unit, November 2, 1968, Em. Sir David L. Esancy presents check for \$1,000.00 to Harold Lloyd, Chairman Board of Trustees, Shriners' Hospitals for Crippled Children. This check raised the total Boston Commandery has thus far donated to the new hospital to \$3,000.00. Robert G. Wilson, Jr., Chairman Board of Governors, Boston Unit, was Master of Ceremonies at the dedication.

## Acknowledgement from Shriners' Hospitals

It is with great pleasure to take this opportunity on behalf of the Board of Trustees to express our thanks to you for your most generous contribution of \$1,000.00 which is in the process of being transferred to one of our Endowment Bank's for the benefit of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children - Boston Burns Institute.

We are deeply grateful for your generosity and friendship. It is wonderful to be remembered by our many friends and benefactors. The continued success of our hospitals is assured, to a very large extent, by the compassion and assistance which we receive from friends such as you.

In behalf of the children to whom your friendship means so much, please accept our sincerest thanks and appreciation for your thoughtful gift.

George M. Saunders,  
Secretary

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